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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: MASS MU
SUBJECT: U.S. ARMS SALES POLICY

REF: (A) STATE 115244, (B) STATE 115406, (C) STATE 115409

1. CHARGE MAY 25 DELIVERED TEXT OF ANNOUNCEMENT OUTLINING
NEW ARMS SALES POLICY (REF C) TO SALIM ISMAIL SUWAID, CHIEF
OF POLITICAL AFFAIRS IN FOREIGN MINISTRY. CHARGE SUPPLEMENTED
THIS WITH ORAL PRESENTATION DRAWN FROM REFS A AND B, ESPEC-
IALLY PARA 3 OF REF B ON ISRAELI QUESTION.

2. SUWAID'S ONLY COMMENT WAS TO ASK IF WE EXPECTED A REACTION
FROM ANY COUNTRIES TO THIS POLICY SIMILAR TO THE REACTION
THAT CERTAIN LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES GAVE TO THE CARTER
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ADMINISTRATION'S EARLIER HUMAN RIGHTS PROGRAM. CHARGE RES-
PONDED THAT ALL THE REPORTS HE HAD SEEN SO FAR INDICATED THAT
GOVERNMENTS RECOGNIZED GENERAL VALIDITY AND IMPORTANCE OF ARMS
RESTRAINT AS REFLECTED IN THIS NEW INITIATIVE.
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